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UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND EXTENSION OFFICE TO RELOCATE DURING HVAC RENOVATIONS

FREDERICK, MD – The Frederick County University of Maryland Extension Office will relocate this week to the Public Safety Training Facility located at 5370 Public Safety Place (formerly 8349 Reichs Ford Road), Frederick, Md. As of July 18, the office will maintain operations at this temporary location for approximately a year during HVAC renovations at their headquarters at 330 Montevue Avenue.

All phone numbers and e-mail addresses for staff will remain the same. Meetings and classes usually held at the Montevue office will be held at the training facility building during the next year.

The University of Maryland Extension (UME) is an educational network, centered in the country's 72 land grant universities. Extension operates through the University of Maryland at College Park and the University of Maryland Eastern Shore, with field offices in all 23 counties and Baltimore City. As the outreach arm of the University of Maryland College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, UME provides research-based practical education to the problems of American families, agriculture, business and industry. The mission of UME is to provide accessible, unbiased, expert knowledge that people can use to improve their economic stability, their quality of life and community, and the environment in which they live. This is done through educational programs, events, clinics, field days, seminars, conferences, consultations, small group discussions, camps, after school programs and club meetings in the areas of [4-H Youth Development](#), [Home Horticulture/Master Gardeners](#), [Family and Consumer Science](#) and [Agriculture and Natural Resources](#).

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